



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/617,678

Applicant: Yin-Shu YANG

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Title: SIDE RACK ROD FOR  
MOTOR VEHICLES

Confirmation No.: 4122

Group Art Unit: 3612

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2004 in the above application. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments and the remarks that follow. All claim cancellations and/or amendments are made without prejudice or disclaimer. A Petition for Extension of Time extending the time for response is attached hereto.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.